Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: The appointment was made by the Staff Selection Board. At the time of the appointment nothing adverse to her had come to the notice of the Government in any fashion. I can assure the House on that.

Mr. A. V. Moothedan *(Chalakkudi)*: Is it unlawful to preside over a meeting or deliver a speech when that meeting is not prohibited by the Government?

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam)*: May I know how many Hindi Pandits have taken part in subversive movements?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*: I do not know how many were arrested. Some have resigned their jobs and gone away on the ground that they propose to take part in political agitation. As to how many of them were arrested, I am afraid, I cannot give any information to the Hon'ble Member.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ : ഈ മീറിംഗ് തൃശ്ശിവപേരൂരിൽ എവിടെ വെച്ചാണ് കൂടിയതെന്നു പറയുവാൻ ദയവുണ്ടാകുമോ ?

റാവുസാഹിബ് ഐ. എൻ. മേനോൻ: സാധാരണയായി ബാൻചെയ്യുകൂടുന്ന മീറിംഗാണെങ്കിൽ അതു് എവിടെയാണു് എന്നന്വേഷിക്കേണ്ട ചുമതല ഗവമ്മെണ്ടിനുണ്ടു്. അങ്ങിനെയല്ലാതെ കൂടുന്ന മീറിംഗുകൾ എവിടെയൊക്കെയാണു നടക്കുന്നതെന്നു് ഗവമ്മെണ്ടു് അന്വേഷിക്കാറില്ല. He wants to know where the meeting was held.

Khan Sahib Y. Muhammad Roshan Sahib Bahadur *(Commissioner of Police)*: No information. I may correct the Hon'ble Member. No objectionable speech was made.

മിസ്റ്റർ എ. ഈച്ചരമേനോൻ : ഗവമ്മെണ്ടുവേതനം അനുഭവിക്കുന്ന ആളുകൾ ഇതിനു മുമ്പു് ഇതിനേക്കാളും കടുപ്പമായി അതിർകടന്നു സംസാരിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ എന്നു അന്വേഷിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ ?

റാവുസാഹിബ് ഐ. എൻ. മേനോൻ : അതു് അന്വേഷിക്കേണ്ട ആവശ്യമില്ല.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ : ഗവമ്മെണ്ടിന്റെ പ്രവൃത്തിയെ പ്രതിഷേധിച്ചുകൊണ്ടു കൂടുന്ന യോഗങ്ങളിൽ അദ്ധ്യക്ഷം വഹിക്കുന്നവരെ ഗവമ്മെണ്ടു് സപ്ലീസിൽ എടുക്കുന്നതു ശരിയാണോ ?

Mr. A. B. Salem *(Mattancheri)*: Is the Government aware that people who have gone to jail are appointed as high officials in the State?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*: The question answers itself.

EXAMINERS—S.S.L.C. AND III FORM EXAMINATIONS

70. Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether there is any rule or convention or G. O. that the assistant examiners and examiners of the S.S.L.C. and Form III Examinations shall be changed every two years;

(*b*) if so, how many such examiners are there who have been either Examiners or Assistant examiners for more than two years;

(*c*) the number and names of such examiners who have been examiners coming under the category of (*b*) above and the total number of years they have been Examiners in each case?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*:

(*a*) No.
(*b*) Does not arise.
(*c*) Does not arise.

STUDENTS' COUNCIL—MAHARAJA'S COLLEGE

71. Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether there was a body called College Students' Council functioning in the Maharaja's College;

(*b*) whether this body is functioning now;

(*c*) what are the functions of this body?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*: (*a*) Yes.
(*b*) No.
(*c*) 1. To report on matters referred to it by the Principal.

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2. To make suggestions for the improvement of the amenities of student life in the College.

3. To appoint sub-committees to conduct functions such as College Day Sports, and College Anniversaries.

4. To maintain and control the Students' Common Room.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* May I know why the Students' council was stopped?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* It is not stopped. College societies and school societies are constituted every year.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* Why is it that it is not in operation?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* It is not in operation because, the Principal thought that reconstituting this committee in an atmosphere which is not very conducive to discipline is not advisable.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* What were the extraordinary circumstances?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* The answer is here. It is not sufficiently conducive.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* What is the period that the Hon'ble Member is referring to?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* The elections are generally made in August to September.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* May I know the date on which the ninth sitting of the College Council took place?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* I want notice.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* May I know when the eighth sitting was held.

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* Unless you have a log book or a journal it is not possible for me to give the information.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* Questions 71 and 72 may be answered together?

Mr. President: Yes.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE—MAHARAJA'S COLLEGE

72. Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* Will Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) Whether the Maharaja's College Advisory Committee has sat within the last two years;

(*b*) the number of sittings of this committee after it was constituted and the names of respective ex-officio conveners who called these meetings;

(*c*) the items discussed in each sitting;

(*d*) the purpose for which this Advisory Committee was constituted?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):*

(*a*) No.

(*b*) & (*c*) 9.—4 by Mr. H. R. Mills and 5 by Mr. K. Karunakaran Nayar.

1st sitting 1. The provision for suitable accommodation for women's hostel.

2. The desirability of converting the managers of the Rama Varma and Shanmukham Hostels into Government servants.

3. The need for the provision of residential quarters to the Superintendents of the two hostels.

4. Consideration of the present rules governing the admission of students to the College.

2nd sitting. For passing the revised estimates for 1113 and the Budget Estimates of 1114 of the College and hostels.

3rd sitting. Consideration of the question of reduction of the number of hands in the English and Physics Department by one each.

4th sitting. 1. Consideration of the rules regarding admission of students to the college classes.

2. The proposals of the retrenchment committee regarding the Maharaja's College.

3. The question of confirmation of the Assistant Professors in the Chemistry and History Departments, *i.e.*, Messrs. T. Madhava Menon and P. S. Velayudhan and the confirmation of the store-keeper Demonstrator of the Physics Department.

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